


To our Readers.
Any neglect on the part of our Carriers to deliver the STANDARD at the proper time and place will be promptly remedied on application at the Publication Office, next door to the Bank of British Columbia, Government Street.

The Daily Standard.
Tuesday, March 19, 1872.

Head of the Crisis.
The very large number of people who filled the gallery and aisles of the Legislative Chamber yesterday afternoon, before the Speaker took his seat, was an indication of the state of public feeling on the question which had arisen in the House to increase the indemnity to members for their services, from \$5 per diem to \$8, and travelling expenses from fifty to twenty-five cents per mile. No event that transpired during the great American rebellion, or the late French war, laden as the telegraph wires and the newspapers of the day were with startling occurrences, gave rise to anything approaching the interest and excitement which pervaded all classes of this community in reference to that matter. What course the House would pursue in the premises when it should meet on Monday, was canvassed at almost every street corner with an eagerness which showed that the question at issue was one of more than ordinary importance. Many feared that those members who had espoused the cause of an increased indemnity, and who commanded a large majority in the House, would enforce their demands upon the Government even to the length of ousting the Cabinet by a direct vote of want of confidence if they declined to comply with their wish on the subject, thereby obstructing the legislation of the country, and throwing back public works and the adoption of those measures of public utility which up to this time had engaged the attention of the Legislature, for at least a twelve-month to come. We confess we did not participate in those fears. We fully believed that upon mature reflection, members would be prepared to sacrifice their own private views and feelings in a matter of a purely personal nature rather than jeopardize the interests of the country by obstructing or defeating such measures as the repeal of the Civil List Act, the repeal of the Road Tolls Act, the School Bill, and other measures which the country has called for, but which, were they to force the Cabinet to a *demerit* *resort*, might result in a dissolution of the House and an indefinite postponement or possible defeat of some, at least, of the measures above referred to. We are gratified to know that we were not mistaken in the estimate we formed of the good judgment and patriotic self-denial of the members of the House. They have taken the wise and the manly course. They have said we will postpone the question for the present, and after having disposed of the work of the session we shall renew the subject, and if the Government then declines to accede to our request we shall use the power which we possess as the representatives of the people of voting them out of office and putting others in their place who will bow to the decisions of a majority of the Legislature. So far as the present session is concerned, the question is finally settled, and cannot be again entertained; but in it we think we see involved the early fate of the Administration. If the threats of the majority of the House mean all they are capable of, and the Government have made up their minds to adhere to the course they have taken upon this question, but one result can possibly follow, and that is a vote of want of confidence in the Government and the formation of a new Administration or a dissolution of the present House and an appeal to the people upon the issue raised. If the members feel assured that their constituents will endorse their conduct in this matter, they will not hesitate to risk the ordeal of a new election, and if upon that issue they are re-elected, all objections to an increase of indemnity will thereby be removed. In the opposition given to this proposition we have been actuated by a sincere desire to see the principles of Responsible Government carried out in their integrity, so that hereafter the enemies of that system should not have it in their power to point to one of the first acts of the Legislature and say that those who for years had clamored for responsible institutions and an economical Administration of the affairs of the country had taken the earliest opportunity afforded them of dipping their fingers into the public chest for purposes of personal aggrandizement. Our great regret is, that gentlemen belonging to that party, who we believe to be identified, and in whose political success we have always taken a warm interest, should have allowed themselves to be inveigled into any such difficulty. So far as they are concerned, we believe they acted in good faith and did what they honestly believed to be right and proper; and although we felt it to be our duty as a public journalist to disagree with them, and to express our disapprobation in somewhat strong terms, we nevertheless have no less confidence in their political integrity now than we had before the question of indemnity was mooted. Our aim was to save them from falling into an error that might on a future occasion be turned to account against them, and that by some of the very men who had secretly encouraged them in what they did. It was not without some show of reason that Mr. Armstrong charged the Government with having led members to believe that they could constitutionally bring the question before the House and deal with it in the manner proposed, and that if it was not done the House would be responsible for it. The House have manifested a spirit of forbearance and a desire to carry forward the work of the session, worthy of all praise; no violence has been done to any constitutional principle; and the Ministry now

occupy the very equivocal position of being retained in their positions, not as possessing the confidence of the House, but by the sufferance of a large majority of the members, who, for the time being, deem it inexpedient to turn them out of office.

New Advertisements.
Canadian Pacific Railway.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES
For the Howe Pass District will be received until 12 o'clock (noon) on Tuesday the 19th of March.
WALTER MOBERLY,
Engineer Howe Pass District,
Canadian Pacific Railway. mh15
Court of Revision.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Court of Revision will hold its Third Sitting on Tuesday the 19th day of March, inst., at 11 o'clock, a.m., in the City Council Chambers, Broad Street, where the Municipal Assessment Roll for 1872-3 may be inspected.
By Order. **W. T. LEIGH,** Clerk of the Court. mh15
Victoria, B. C., March 13, 1872

NEW GOODS!
EX LADY LAMPSON & GUNNER.
FOR SALE AT THE BEEHIVE STORE,
Port Street, the following New Goods:
CARPETS, CURTAINS, CROCKERY, WINDOW SHADES, PICTURES, CROCKERS, GLASSWARE, UPHOLSTERY GOODS, in great variety.
Particular attention is drawn to an invoice of Holland for Window Blinds, from 30 to 72 inches. OIL Cloth, New Patterns, from 1/4 of a yard to 4 yards wide.
Bedding and Lounges on hand and made to order. Carpets Sewed and Laid, Wall Paper hung and all kinds of Upholstery work done at reasonable rates.
JOHN WELCH, See Ill. Store, mh15
Corner Port & Broad Streets.

HOUSEHOLD COAL.
Best Quality Only.
FOR SALE AT SPROAT & CO'S WHARF,
STORE STREET.
fe20 R. SEABROOK, Agent.
THE STEAMER ONWARD

WM. IRVING, Master.
WILL COMMENCE RUNNING BETWEEN
NEW WESTMINSTER AND YALE,
On or about the 15th March, connecting with the Enterprise from Victoria, and will make weekly trips until further notice.
The steamer will not be responsible for leakage of liquids contained in tin or glass.
Apply on Board
Or to **J. R. FLEMING,** Victoria. mh19
New Westminster, Feb. 16, 1872.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
H. MANSELL
HAS JUST RECEIVED A VERY LARGE assortment of
GOODS IN HIS LINE, selected from the best that the San Francisco Market affords, which he offers at the very
LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE FOR CASH.
Also, a variety of
HOMEMADE BOOTS ON HAND.
BOOTS made to order in the most approved style from the best material.
SP. OBSERVE—GOVERNMENT ST., Victoria (two doors from the Colonial). mh19

FOR SALE
At Half Price
POOR BUNSTER'S
PORT FOLIO!
mh18
A Public Meeting
WILL BE held at the Alhambra Hall, on Saturday next, at 7 1/2 p.m., for the purpose of considering the urgent necessity of establishing a Public Market in this city. mh18

Lost
ON SATURDAY MORNING, THE 16th, inst., either on View or Douglas Street, a small black memorandum book, filled with accounts, in which the name of S. C. O'Neil occurs frequently. The book is of no value to any one but the owner. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving the same at the
STANDARD OFFICE.
mh16

Wanted.
A STEADY MAN FOR THE FERRY at Cowichan. To a man who can be relied upon. It is an advantageous offer.
Apply at the
"JOHN BULL" INN, Cowichan. mh16

NOW READY!
At This Office.
CORRECT COPIES OF
THE CANADIAN TARIFF!
Orders from the country will be promptly attended to.
NOTICE
I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that after this point I shall not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person without my written order.
CHARLES GREEN, mh16
Comox, 6th March, 1872.

New Advertisements.
FIRST SPRING SALE!
J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
Have Received Instructions From
Messrs Janion, Rhodes & Co.
TO SELL BY
PUBLIC AUCTION,
At their Salesroom Wharf St.
Tuesday, March 26th
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
ON A LIBERAL CREDIT.
BOOTS & SHOES.
—Cases Men's Woman's and Youths' Boots, Shoes, Brogans, Water Tights, and Side Spring Gaiters.
LADIES' HOSE.
—Cases Ladies and Misses' White, Striped, Worsted, Lamb Wool, Heavy Cotton and Balmoral Hose.
HALF HOSE.
—Cases Aberdeen, Grey Knit, Lamb Wool, Shetland, and Cotton Half Hose.
ALSO
WOOL OVER SHIRTS.
—Bales Grey, Blue and Embroidered Over Shirts.
UNDER CLOTHING.
—Cases Ribbed, Plain, Shetland and Lamb Wool Under Shirts & Drawers.
OVERALLS.
—Cases Canvas and Duck Overall and Jumpers, Blue Denim Overall and Jumpers.
PERFUMERY.
To Close Consignment.
Rowland's Odonto, Kalydor, Macassar Oil, Large Kalydor, Pomade, Bears Grease and Rose Oil, Philocome Crystalized Cream and Pure Marrow.
PANTS.
Beaver, Cassimere, Duck, Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.
TERMS AT SALE.
mh16 **J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer.**

REAL ESTATE.
J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
Have been instructed by the
MORTGAGEE.
To Sell by Public Auction.
Tuesday, March 26th,
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,
At Salesroom, Wharf Street.
All that certain piece or parcel of land situated on the Eastern Side of Pemberton street, corner Cadboro Bay Road; containing one and nine-tenth (1 9/10) acres, more or thereabout. The Title to commence with the Mortgage.
Deed of Purchase at Buyer's Expense.
TERMS CASH.
mh11 **J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer.**

THE "GRESHAM"
Half Cabinet Lock Stitch
Reversible Feed Sewing
Machine.
PRICE \$40.
FOR SALE BY
ROBERT BEAVEN,
mh11 3m Government street.

Wanted.
A MAN TO DO GENERAL HOUSE-work.
Apply at the
STANDARD OFFICE
mh12

Norway Seed Oats.
FOR SALE AT
WALLACE & HUTCHISON'S Wharf Street.
mh15

To be Let Furnished.
SIX MONTHS from or about the 5th day of April next, 1872, a convenient and comfortable dwelling house, completely furnished.
For particulars apply to
MRS. HARRIS, Broad Street.
Any day between the hours of 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
mh16
Victoria, 14th March, 1872.

New Advertisements.
THE WANZER
SEWING MACHINE
The Most Perfect, Durable,
Convenient and Cheapest
LOCK STITCH SEWING MACHINE
That has yet been Manufactured.
PRICE \$22 50.
FOR SALE AT
VICTORIA HOUSE,
WILLIAM DENNY, Manager.
Agents for Jouvins' Kid Gloves. mh11

WELCH, RITHET & CO.
No. 5 Commercial Row, Wharf Street,
Offer for Sale the following Goods
IN BOND AND DUTY PAID.
WINES & LIQUORS.
BRANDY, Lecoq Freres, in bulk & case, RUM—30 per cent. Over Proof, LONDON GIN—In bulk, PORT WINE—In octaves & qr. cases, CALIFORNIA WINES, SONOMA WHITE, LAKE VINEYARD WHITE, PORT, ANGELICA.
RHINE WINES, STEINWEIN, SPARKLING MOSELLE—In pints, do. do. In quarts, CLARET—St. Estrephes, "THE EXCELLENT," CHAMPAGNE—The Famous Brand of Ernest Irroy & Co. of Reims, in pints and Quarts.
Groceries & Provisions.
SUGAR—Various Grades of Sandwich Islands, TEA—Congou, in 1/2 cts. Comet brand, Souchong, " " " Gunpowder, in 1/2 " " Young Hyson in 1/2 " " Scented Powchong, " " U. S. in 1/2 chests, Gao, Lee, in 1/2 chests, JAPAN TEA—In 1/2 lb. and 1 lb. papers, and 5 lbs. and 10 lbs. boxes, GREEN COFFEE, ALMONDS—Soft Shell and Shelled, CANNED OYSTERS, (2 lbs.)
FLOUR—Various Brands of Oregon. Extra and Superfine, in half and quarter sacks, STARR MILLS, (San Francisco) Extra in half and quarter sacks, OREGON OATMEAL—In 10 lb. Bags, OREGON LARD—In 10 lb. Tins, OREGON DRIED APPLES—In Kegs, OREGON BACON, MESS BEEF, BRYANT & MAY'S Patent "Safety Matches."
MOLASSES, PULU, SALT—Coarse and Dairy, FIRE CRACKERS, CHINA NUT OIL, WHITE LEAD PAINT—In 25 lb kegs Nos. 1 and 2.
GIANT POWDER, BLASTING POWDER, GUN POWDER—In Cansisters, WINDOW GLASS—Various sizes, HOOP IRON.
AGENTS FOR
Imperial Fire Insurance Co., of London.
INSTITUTED 1803.
Capital Stock Subscribed . . . \$8,000,000
City of Glasgow Life Assurance Company.
ESTABLISHED 1838.
Subscribed Capital, . . . \$3,000,000.
Travelers (Accident) Insurance Company.
Cash Assets . . . \$1,800,000. mh10

JOHN VAUGHAN
FAMILY BUTCHER.
ORIENTAL MARKET, PORT STREET.
THE BEST ASSORTMENT of Island and Mainland Beef and Mutton constantly on hand. Hotels, Restaurants, Families and Shipping supplied at the shortest notice, and meat delivered free of charge to all parts of the city. mh14

Not Dead but still a Dying
HAVING JUST RECEIVED FROM London, an assortment of
Superior Dye Stuffs,
Fedol Curtains and Gents. Dressed Clothing restored, so as to appear like new. This dress need not be taken to pieces.
Clothes cleaned and repaired at my shop Yates street, next to Wells Fargo & Co's.
mh12 **T. W. FIFERS,** Tailor and Dyer.

J. WRIGLESWORTH,
Has Re-opened the Saloon, Government St., two doors from the Post Office, formerly occupied by the late Mr. McKay. The best brands of
WINES & LIQUORS
VICTORIA V. I. B. C. mh10

W. P. Wakeman, Deceased.
ALL PERSONS indebted to, or having claims against, the estate of the late Mr. William P. Wakeman, of Esquimaux, are to pay the amount of such debts or deliver particulars of such claims respectively to S. J. Sparks, Esq., of H. M. Naval Yard, Esquimaux, Executor of the deceased.
EDWIN JOHNSON, Solicitor to the Executor.
Masonic Hall, Victoria, 12th March, 1872. mh12 mdaw

Wanted.
BY A BOY, AGED 16, A SITUATION either as porter in a grocery store or work on a farm.
Apply at the
STANDARD OFFICE.
mh14

Notice
WHEREAS Edward Brady, a native of Letterkenny, County Donegal, Ireland, aged about 71 years, died in Victoria, Province of British Columbia, on Friday the 22nd day of February, 1872, Next of Kin of the above named deceased by common consent with Mr. Patrick Everett of Victoria, assent and to the undersigned will bear of something to their benefit.
Dated this 4th March, 1872.
HENRY GLASSON COURTNEY, Solicitor, Langley Street, Victoria, B. C. mh15

Notice
THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR directs it to be publicly notified that, his Excellency the Governor General alone has power in the Dominion to remit or commute fines, penalties, forfeitures, and sentences, of whatsoever degree, imposed by any Court or Judge. All Petitions, Memorials, or Applications on TAKING OF STATE FOR CANADA, Ottawa, Canada, for remission to His Excellency.
By Command.
mh15 **A. MURRAY, Private Secretary.**

Auction Sale.
ADMINISTRATOR'S
SALE.
J. P. DAVIES & CO.
Have received instructions from
W. B. WILSON, Esq.,
Administrator in the Estate of
JOHN WILKIE, (Deceased)
To Sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
ON A LIBERAL CREDIT.
At the Store corner of WHARF & BASTION Streets, on
MONDAY & TUESDAY,
1st & 2nd APRIL, 1872,
Commencing each day at 11 o'clock a.m.
The Entire Stock of
CLOTHING,
DRY GOODS,
Hosiery,
Furnishing Goods,
Consisting of
CLOTHING.
PANTS—White and Drab Mole, Cord, Cassimere, Black Cloth, Scotch Tweed, Blue Beaver, Duck, Hiding and others.
COATS—Business, Sack, Black Cloth, Reversible, Waterproof, &c.
CLOTHS—Black Cassimere, Union, Oxford Grey, Mantle, Sgt. Melton and Scotch Tweed.
FURNISHING GOODS.
UNDERSHIRTS & DRAWERS—Plain and Ribbed, Brown, & White Cotton, White, Drab and Fanny Striped Merino, White and Scotch Flannel, and a large assortment of Lamb Wool Underclothing, Wave and Printed Balles and Crimere Shirts in great variety, Heavy Grey and Blue Serge Over Shirts, Boys' and Youths' Underclothing, White L. C. Shirts, Merino, Youths and Boys India Rubber Braces.
BLACK SILK TIES and Neck Handkerchiefs, Silk and Gingham Umbrellas, Men's White and Brown Cotton Half Hose, Men's Shetland Wool Socks, Men's Drab and Fanny Striped Merino Half Hose, Silk Bandannas and Corah Handkerchiefs, Fancy Cotton, Linen, Cambric and Fancy Bordered Handkerchiefs, Men's Brown, Black and Drab Felt Hats, Black and Drab Sou'westers, Men's and Boys' Scotch Tweed Balmoral and Calf Cape, Men's White and Colored Ringwood Gloves, Hickory Shirts, Linen Collars, &c.
SHAWLS—A fine line of Black Linna, Tartan and Sheppard Check, Single and Double Shawls.
DRY GOODS.
COBURG'S assorted Colors, Grey Drab and Black Alpaca, Plain and Fancy French Delaines and Merinos, a large and well selected assortment of Winseys, 64 all wool Tartans, Mohairs, Lustres and Fancy Dress Goods in great variety, Ropes, a desirable colors, Balmoral Shirts and Skirting, a large assortment of Indian Corsets, Cord, Beaded and Cheviote Hair Nets, Garibaldi Jackets, Opera Hoods, black and colored Velvet Ribbons, Sarsnet and Tartan Ribbons in assorted Colors and Widths.
FLANNELS—White and Brown Cotton, Union, Welch and Colored, Drab Ticking, White and Grey Cottons, Orydon Sheeting, Scotch Gingham (Fancy Striped). A large assortment of
French & English Prints,
desirable patterns and colors, Albanian Quilts, Marseilles Counterpanes and Toilet Covers, Ladies and Misses' White and Fancy Striped Cotton and Worsted Hose, Ladies' and Children's Kid and Woolen Gloves, Glazed and Tulle Linings, assorted Hollands, Hockbeek and Glass Cloth, Damask and Turkish Towels, Damask Table Napkins, Victoria Table Covers, white and Colored Table Covers, Gaiters, A large assortment Gold and Jet Jewelry, black, white and drab Linen Thread, Victoria Pins, a large assortment of Tassels, Brads, Hooks and Eyes, Pearl and Bone, Cook Vest and Brace Buttons Packing Twine, Hoop Skirts, &c.
TERMS—All sums under \$250, Cash; Over \$250 and under \$500, 30 days; Over \$500 and under \$1000, 60 days; Over \$1000 and under \$2,000, 90 days; Over \$2,000, 120 days on Approved Endorsed Notes.
Catalogues will be issued, and Goods on View, Two days prior to Sale.
J. P. DAVIES & CO., Auctioneers mh12

The Daily Standard.
Tuesday, March 19, 1872.
PROVINCIAL
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The House met at 10 o'clock. The Hon. the three members.
The chamber was every available space anxious to witness regard to
THE SPEAKER
Mr. Armstrong rose. On the 8th of he would move the to consider the exped Constitutional Act, for log the indemnity of On the 12th he moved rules and orders to ad Ministry gave the Hou it would support the m to believe it from the this that brought them the unfortunate positio new placed. Had any opposed the measure d brought forward, it w client; had they at any to understand this, the not now be in the pres The Hon. Attorney Gen ditional reason for his c he could not advise down a measure to i. The members of the Ho ward position, but wou trests of the country, no see the principles of Res one regretted more the before them. He took able were to blame two of them voted a stronger in favor of the other member, and he house divided against which everyone under the Government of allowed to proceed, he definite postponement of was it not for this, they the representatives of t should rule. [Hear.] alluded to the Ministry ported all through by the bers of the House, they tion, and it can't be House. They would po after consideration of a part of them were pas sion. Attorney Gener of himself and colleague hon. members to suppo be an open eye; he reg duct of theirs had led would say also that the the hands of the Govern vated a consideration of when no doubt he was opposed. Mr. Armstrong Ministry did not move Standing Orders, but b the Hon. Attorney Gen unanimous vote and they presented the suspension the res. 2. for not doing could at any time repel The Ministry would nee bill, and if they did not dence of the House, but comes to pass, and it could as any time repel The Speaker said he w the House, if the interru No one resumed the re the position of themselves, and he re ching views on the que Mr. C. Booth asked if open for debate.
The Speaker replied t motion before the House. Mr. Booth rose to a q He did not wish to be ex tried, nor to be conde cerned; the public mind over the matter, and he w right on the question at cept he were insane could he blamed no one with re they were placed, for no take the part he had tak he had expressed was bi would go back to the con let Legislature; they with them and were not question of members taki commendation of the reu tory General rode ov Act, he (Mr. Booth) refer point; the question, etc, was settled, as well passed away. The speak that the public prints ha a masterly style; it was a time to wrestle with, for they were always an one way or another. In 15th was an able article, here were represented as the championing was hinte how good he supposed they Next, he referred to th the House when the discu ites was before them; it estimated that it w to ask, for an incre ntly; news brought up and in an orderly spiri could it be looked up light. Every one should in a measure of the amount must be set down this sum is discussed, and of the House to reduce it As to the course, as well quoted from the B. N. taining the course was co one class takes the stand since in Council must de theirs (the House) was cion; they thought it prop and they had a right to was for the Ministry if they to reject the measure, upon the justice of the reason to believe that men the county at a loss, th had not done wisely to was imprudent of them come well from gentlemen a day and 5 dollars a day in the House? or from ge the least talent in the cou of the House? He would the hon. Attorney Genera his (Mr. E.) constituent the question, the soue get out of the straits they who voted and supporte occasion, should now cho pie, they were welcome the opinion, which he b than ask him to do so his right hand should forc that his tongue should cle his mouth. He asked if he would not recede from his position? He was verry clever and masterly very we are unable to do Mr. J. P. Booth also re fore spoken on the ques tion his position in the He endorsed the member

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL
STORE STREET,
Between Herald and Fisguard,
VICTORIA, B. C.

Andrew Astrico - Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best of the market affords MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining-rooms for families. CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, \$5 50 to \$6 50; Board and Lodging per day, \$1; Single Meals, 37c; Beds, 50 cents. Terms—Cash in advance. A Fire-proof Safe in the House. feb 17



PUBLIC NOTICE.
Esquimalt Graving Dock.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH Columbia is desirous to have the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, to be the 20th day of March, 1872, for the construction of a Graving Dock at Esquimalt, British Columbia, under the guarantee provided in the twelfth section of the Terms of Sale of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:

The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the works at the rate of five per cent per annum on such sums not exceeding \$100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt.

The Dock is to be of a clear length of not less than 450 feet, a clear breadth of 90 feet at top and 50 at bottom, and affording a depth of water, at ordinary high tide, of not less than 20 feet on the sill, and to be substantially built upon a site to be selected and provided by the Esquimalt Graving Dock, subject to the approval of the Government. Parties tendering are required to specify the time within which they propose to complete the Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tenders for Esquimalt Graving Dock," and addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and accompanied by plans and drawings, showing the exact dimensions of the Dock proposed to be built, the mode of construction and materials to be used therein.

Parties desirous of tendering, but who may decline to do so under the guarantee above named as insufficient, are invited to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Esquimalt Graving Dock or other financial inducement as they may suggest.

Lands and Works Office, 26th November, 1871.
1871 Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

PRINCE OF WALES
Livery and Sale Stables.

J. T. DUNLOP, Proprietor,
Has on Hand
Carriages, Buggies
AND
Good Saddle and Carriage
Horses.
Broad street, East side of Fort Street.
feb 17

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
VICTORIA, V. I.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT IS NOW OPEN for the reception of Guests, and is recommended to the travelling public as a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL. The rooms have all been refurnished, and particular attention is paid to cleanliness and good order. APARTMENTS will be let by the Day, Week or Month, at a Great Reduction from former rates, and Travellers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seeking accommodation elsewhere.

J. FRIED,
Proprietor.
feb 17

THE VICTORIA
SKATING ASSOCIATION.
ST. NICHOLAS HALL.
RINK OPEN
From 10 A. M. to 12 M.,
From 2 P. M. to 5 P. M.,
Evening—From 7 P. M. to 9 P. M., Monday, Thursday and Saturday.
Admission, 25c; Use of Skates 25c.
Monthly Tickets for Gentlemen..... \$6 00
Monthly Tickets for Ladies..... 3 00
Monthly Tickets for Ladies and Gentlemen 8 00
Victoria, January 22, 1872
feb 23

Sandwich Islands Sugar.
EX ROBERT COWAN
From Honolulu,
For sale By
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Wharf Street.
m151m

NORWAY OATS.
FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES AT
JAY & CO.'S Seed Store,
Yates Street, Victoria.
feb 17

Wanted.
A FIRST CLASS WATER BRICK
Monitor.
Apply to
GEORGE MASON,
Fort Street.
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NORWAY OATS.
FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES AT
JAY & CO.'S Seed Store,
Yates Street, Victoria.
feb 17

10 TONS OF BEST CALIFORNIA OATS
For Sale by
R. BRODRICK & CO.
Victoria, February 7th.
feb 17

Farm For Sale.
ABOUT TWO AND HALF MILES FROM
Esquimalt Harbor, containing 200 acres of Land,
with a large house, barn and 50 head of
cattle on it.
For Particulars apply to
CHAS. MCK. SMITH.
m151m

To Let.
A LARGE STORE ON Johnson Street, almon-
ston 3425 feet.
Apply
MR. J. H. KING,
Marquette Saloon, Johnson street
m151m

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

BRITISH COLUMBIA SAVINGS BANK.
STATEMENT of the position of the British Columbia Savings Bank, at 31st December, 1871, published pursuant to the provisions of the "Savings Banks Ordinance, 1869."

GENERAL BALANCE.

LIABILITIES.	ASSETS.
Due by Bank to Depositors, viz:—	Cash in hand at Head Office and
At Head Office.....\$103,350 98	Branches.....\$ 2,703 92
"Nanaimo Branch.....11,740 56	Cash in Bank of British Columbia.....5,817 71
"New West. do.....12,606 13	Amount invested with the Govern- ment of British Columbia.....125,000 00
"Yale Branch.....650 80	
"Cariboo Branch.....4,052 87	
Balance at credit of Profit and Loss.....1,120 29	
\$133,521 63	\$133,521 63

Victoria, British Columbia,
February 23rd, 1872.
F. J. ROSCOE, } Commissioners of
A. J. LANGLEY, } Savings Banks.
I Certify that I have examined the Accounts of the British Columbia Savings Bank for the year ended 31st December, 1871, and have found the above Abstract to be correct.
Audit Office, 23rd February, 1872.
ROBERT KER.
I hereby certify that the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000) is the balance standing to the credit of the Commissioners of the British Columbia Savings Banks, in the Books of the Government of British Columbia, at the 31st December, 1871.
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JOHN GRAHAM,
In Charge.

PIONEER SEED STORE.
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JAY & CO.,
Have now Ready for sale a large and fresh stock of
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Including many fresh introductions to the Colony, amongst which are
SUTTON'S RED SKIN FLOWERBALL—The heaviest cropping and best
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For Sale Cheap.
A GOOD LOCOMOTIVE Tubular Boiler, as it now lies on the wharf at New Westminster. Dimensions of shell, 22 inches, 124 tubes, 14 feet long, by 2 1/2 inches in diameter; fire box furnace, adapted for 4-foot wood.
Apply to
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Several Fine Trunks, 4 Large Counters, a lot of Iron Bars suitable for digging post holes, &c., & good Lounges—very cheap.
A number of Photographic Baths, a lot of Garden Spades & a fine Pair Butter Scales.
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A large quantity of Early York Cabbage Plants for Sale Cheap.
ALSO—A few pounds of delicious Fresh Butter (from his own dairy) for sale every week. feb 17

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72 bbls Molasses,
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Offer for Sale the undermentioned Goods, principally selected for this market by Mr. Findlay.

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